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Osage Regulation Changes

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Mr. Streator,

I would like to address my opposition to most of the proposed changes to CFR, Title 25, Chapter 1, Part 226 for Osage County.

Paying royalty on the NYMEX which is not available to us is unfair.

The added accounting of furnishing run ticket copies, calling tanks into the Superintendent before the purchaser, documenting seal numbers, and maintaining site security plans will be too burdensome to the producers and will add more overhead to the BIA also.

Who will determine the "paying quantities" for lease production? Many of the wells in the county are 1/4 to 1 barrel wells operated by small producers that may be forced out of business by the new regulations.

I urge that the changes to the regulations be denied and not put into place. As a former member of the board of the Osage Producers Association, I would like to see things done to develop and encourage more of a partnership attitude between the producers and the Osages. Ultimately, the better that the producer is able to operate and explore opportunities the better it will be for the Tribe.

Thank You,

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